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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

November 17, 2016

Mr. Jeffrey Olyphant United Minerals Company, LLC 566 Dickeyville Road Lynnville, Indiana 47619

Dear Mr. Olyphant:

Re: NPDES General Permit No. ING040260
IDNR Permit No. S-0365
United Minerals Company LLCCardinal Mine
12728 South State Road 61

Lynnville, Indiana Pike County

Our office has received your Notice of Intent (NOI) submittal in regards to the above-referenced facility. We are pleased to inform you that the submittal is sufficient to comply with the NOI requirements in 327 IAC 15-7, Facilities Engaged in Mining of Coal, Coal Processing, and Reclamation Activities. The general permit rule requirements are contained in 327 IAC 15-1 through 15-4 and 15-7.

We have reviewed the NOI and have determined that the mining activities associated with the request are not the result of any new or expanded permitted mining operations. Mining activity is a process of sequential coal removal and reclamation and as mining progresses and reclamation follows these activities will not result in any anticipated discharges to a receiving stream. We have determined that there will not be a new or increased loading of pollutants into the receiving stream(s), therefore the approval of this renewal of coverage is in compliance with the antidegradation standards at 327 IAC 2-1.3. We are pleased to inform you that the submittal is also sufficient to comply with the NOI requirements in 327 IAC 15-7, Facilities Engaged in Mining of Coal, Coal Processing, and Reclamation Activities.

The NPDES general permit identification number assigned to this facility in the previous approval will continue to apply. Due to the fact that 327 IAC 15-7 is a permit by rule, you will NOT be receiving an actual permit. However you will be responsible for following the general rule requirements contained in 327 IAC 15-1 through 15-4 and 15-7, which were sent to you with your original approval letter. 327 IAC 15 is also available on the internet at http://www.in.gov/idem/4087.htm.

The NPDES general permit coverage number assigned to this facility in the previous approval will continue to apply. Reporting is to be done using the federal Discharge Monitoring Report (DMR) form and the state Monthly Monitoring Report (MMR) form. The MMR form can be found on the internet at http://www.in.gov/idem/cleanwater/2396.htm. Both the state and federal forms need to be completed and submitted on a routine basis. Please note that IDEM will no longer accept paper DMR or MMR forms after December 28, 2016. After that date all NPDES permit holders are required to submit their monitoring data to IDEM using NetDMR. Please contact Helen Demmings at (317) 232-8815 if you would like more information on NetDMR. Information is also available on our website at http://ln.gov/idem/cleanwater/2422.htm.



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Renewal of coverage for the facility will include all outfalls listed on Attachment 1 to this correspondence. Since the expiration date of IDEM's previous approval of your facility to operate under 327 IAC 15-7 is January 31, 2017 this renewal of coverage under 327 IAC 15-7 shall become effective on <u>February 1, 2017</u>, unless a person aggrieved or adversely affected by the acceptance appeals this decision. Coverage under this general permit rule expires on <u>January 31, 2022</u>. In order to receive authorization to discharge beyond the date of expiration, the permittee shall submit such information and forms as required by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management no later than ninety (90) days prior to the date of expiration.

Please note that IDEM shall serve notice of its decision to approve the modification of general permit coverage for your facility under the general permit in accordance with the requirements of 327 IAC 5-3-14. It should also be noted that any appeal must be filed under procedures outlined in IC 13-15-6, IC 4-21.5-3-7, and the enclosed Public Notice. The appeal must be initiated by filing a petition for administrative review with the Office of Environmental Adjudication (OEA) within fifteen (15) days of the emailing of an electronic copy of this letter or within eighteen (18) days of the mailing of this letter by filing at the following address:

Office of Environmental Adjudication Indiana Government Center North 100 North Senate Avenue, Room 501 Indianapolis, IN 46204

Please send a copy of any written appeal to me at the IDEM, Office of Water Quality, 100 North Senate Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251.

The Office of Environmental Adjudication will provide parties who request review of this acceptance for coverage with notice of prehearing conferences, preliminary hearings, hearing, and stays or orders disposing of all proceedings. Nonparties may receive such notices without intervening and formally becoming parties in the proceeding by requesting copies of such notices from the Office of Environmental Adjudication.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Ms. Sheri L. Jordan of our staff at (317) 232-8703 or you may contact her by email at sjordan@idem.in.gov.

Sincerely,

Catherine Hess, Chief

Permits Administration Section

Office of Water Quality

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Attachment

cc: Pike County Health Department

Mr. Todd Huff, IDNR Division of Reclamation

Mr. Andrew Nelson, United Minerals Company, LLC

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ATTACHMENT 1

United Minerals Company, LLC-Cardinal Mine

NPDES PERMIT NO. ING040260

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 1, 2017

IDNR PERMIT NO. S-0365

OUTFALL	DNR BASIN	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	MINE DRAINAGE STATUS	RECEIVING WATER
002	002	38°, 13', 55"	-87°, 17', 42"	Alkaline	Unnamed Tributary to Smith Fork
003	003	38°, 13', 54"	-87°, 17', 03"	Alkaline	Unnamed Tributary to Smith Fork
005	005	38°, 13', 58"	-87°, 17', 53"	Alkaline	Unnamed Tributary to Smith Fork
007**	007	38°, 13′, 55"	-87°, 17', 22"	Undetermined	Unnamed Tributary to Smith Fork
008**	006	38°, 13', 55"	-87°, 17', 34"	Undetermined	Unnamed Tributary to Smith Fork

^{**} denotes an unconstructed outfall

The following outfalls have been removed from coverage:

001	001	38°, 14', 30"	-87°, 16', 57"	Mined through	Unnamed Tributary to Honey Creek
004	004	38°, 14', 09"	-87°, 16', 48"	Mined through	Unnamed Tributary to Honey Creek
006	02A	38°, 13', 59"	-87°, 17', 43"	Discharges to 002	Unnamed Tributary to Smith Fork

STATE OF INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 2016 - 11D - GP

DATE OF NOTICE: November 17, 2016

The Office of Water Quality issues the following NPDES GENERAL PERMIT.

RENEWAL

UNITED MINERALS COMPANY LLC - CARDINAL MINE, Permit No. ING040260, PIKE COUNTY, Lynnville, IN. This facility discharges non-process wastewater to unnamed tributaries to Smith Fork. The Notice of Intent (NOI) letter submitted complies with the requirements in 327 IAC 15-7, Facilities Engaged in Mining of Coal, Coal Processing and Reclamation Activities. Permit Writer: Sheri Jordan at 317/232-8703.

Notice of Right to Administrative Review [Permits]

If you wish to challenge this permit, you must file a Petition for Administrative Review with the Office of Environmental Adjudication (OEA), and serve a copy of the petition upon IDEM. The requirements for filing a Petition for Administrative Review are found in IC 4-21.5-3-7, IC 13-15-6-1 and 315 IAC 1-3-2. A summary of the requirements of these laws is provided below.

A Petition for Administrative Review must be filed with the Office of Environmental Adjudication (OEA) within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this notice (eighteen (18) days if you received this notice by U.S. Mail), and a copy must be served upon IDEM. Addresses are:

Director
Office of Environmental Adjudication
Indiana Government Center North
Room 501
100 North Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Commissioner Indiana Department of Environmental Management Indiana Government Center North Room 1301 100 North Senate Avenue Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

The petition must contain the following information:

- 1. The name, address and telephone number of each petitioner.
- 2. A description of each petitioner's interest in the permit.
- 3. A statement of facts demonstrating that each petitioner is:
 - a. a person to whom the order is directed;
 - b. aggrieved or adversely affected by the permit; or
 - c. entitled to administrative review under any law.
- 4. The reasons for the request for administrative review.
- 5. The particular legal issues proposed for review.
- 6. The alleged environmental concerns or technical deficiencies of the permit.
- 7. The permit terms and conditions that the petitioner believes would be appropriate and would comply with the law.
- 8. The identity of any persons represented by the petitioner.
- 9. The identity of the person against whom administrative review is sought.
- 10. A copy of the permit that is the basis of the petition.
- 11. A statement identifying petitioner's attorney or other representative, if any.

Failure to meet the requirements of the law with respect to a Petition for Administrative Review may result in a waiver of your right to seek administrative review of the permit. Examples are:

- 1. Failure to file a Petition by the applicable deadline;
- 2. Failure to serve a copy of the Petition upon IDEM when it is filed; or
- 3. Failure to include the information required by law.

If you seek to have a permit stayed during the administrative review, you may need to file a Petition for a Stay of Effectiveness. The specific requirements for such a Petition can be found in 315 IAC 1-3-2 and 315 IAC 1-3-2.1.

Pursuant to IC 4-21.5-3-17, OEA will provide all parties with notice of any pre-hearing conferences, preliminary hearings, hearings, stays, or orders disposing of the review of this action. If you are entitled to notice under IC 4-21.5-3-5(b) and would like to obtain notices of any pre-hearing conferences, preliminary hearings, hearings, stays, or orders disposing of the review of this action without intervening in the proceeding you must submit a written request to OEA at the address above.

If you have procedural or scheduling questions regarding your Petition for Administrative Review you may contact the Office of Environmental Adjudication at (317) 232-8591 or see OEA's website at http://www.in.gov/oea.

10/28/2016



I.PURPOSE OF SUBMITTAL:

Indiana Department of Environmental Management

NPDES General Permit Notice of Intent (NOI) Letter Submittal Application 327 IAC 15-7 Facilities Engaging in Mining of Coal, Coal Processing and Reclamation Activities

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IV. CONTACT INFORMATION OTHER:					
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b. <u>CONTACT EMAIL ADDRESS</u> jolyphant@peabodyenergy.com	e. <u>CTTY</u> Lynnville	f <u>STATE</u>	g <u>ZIP CODE</u> 47619		
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VII. this				OR MODIFICATIONS: Please provide the following if or CHANGE MINE DRAINAGE STATUS of one or more outfalls:
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VIII. TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP

A topographical map must be submitted with this application. The map must include the following items:

- (A) the location of the coal mining operation, including contiguous facility property lines, shown clearly and identified by name and by mark;
- (B) the location of each numbered outfall shown clearly and identified by number and by mark;
- (C) the receiving streams and tributaries to them that each outfall discharges to shown clearly and identified by name;
- (D) any existing permanent structures or roads in the area shown clearly and identified by name.

Please see the attached map.

IX. PROOF OF PUBLICATION

It is required that a public notice statement be published in a newspaper of largest circulation in the area where the discharge(s) will be occurring. This publication must be in the newspaper for a minimum of one day and must include the following language: (your facility name, address, address of the location of the discharging facility, and the streams receiving the discharge(s)) "is submitting a Notice of Intent letter to notify the Indiana Department of Environmental Management of our intent to comply with the requirement under 327 IAC 15-7 to discharge wastewater associated with the mining of coal, coal processing and /or reclamation activities. Any person aggrieved by this action may appeal in writing to the Environmental Law Judge of the Office of Environmental Adjudication for an adjudicatory hearing on the question of whether this facility should operate under this NPDES general permit rule. An appeal must be postmarked no later than fifteen (15) days from the date of this public notice. Such a written request for an adjudicatory hearing must:

- (A) state the name and address of the person making the request;
- (B) identify the interest of the person making the request;
- (C) identify any persons represented by the person making the request;
- (D) state with particularity the reasons for the request;
- (E) state with particularity the issues proposed for consideration at the hearing; and
- (F) state with particularity the reasons why the NPDES general permit rule should not be available to the discharger identified in this notice.

Any such request shall be mailed or delivered to:

Office of Environmental Adjudication Indiana Government Center – North 100 North Senate Avenue, Room N501 Indianapolis, Indiana 46204"

Please see the attached proof of publication

X. POTENTIALLY AFFECTED PERSONS FORM

Pursuant to IC 4-21.5 it is required that a Potentially Affected Person form be completed and submitted with this application. The form and instructions are attached.

Please see the attached potentially affected persons form.

XI. REQUIRED FEES:

A \$50 application fee is required to be submitted with applications for new permits, permit modifications, and permit renewals in accordance with IC 13-18-20-12. In addition the \$500 annual fee is required to be submitted for NEW APPLICATIONS at the time of submitting the application.

A check payable to IDEM in the amount of \$50.00 is attached to this application.

XII. NOTIFICATION OF INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

It is required in all circumstances that a copy of this application is sent to the Indiana Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) Division of Reclamation in Jasonville, Indiana.

A copy of this renewal has been forwarded to Ms. Jamie Brown, Indiana Department of Natural Resources, Division of Reclamation, 14619, W. State Road 48, Jasonville, IN 47438-9517.

XIII. CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

It is required by 327 IAC 15-4-3(g)(3) that the following statement shall be included in the application. The authorized signatory representative (as defined by 327 IAC 15-5-3(g)(2) and identified in item IIIa above) makes the following certification by signing and dating this section of the application below:

"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all its attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."

Jeffrey J Olyphant, Authorized Representative	(812) 922-1047
Name and official title (type or print)	Area Code and phone No.
Signature 1.01	/0/18/2016 Date signed

Submit completed form and attachments to the following address:

Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Office of Water Quality – Mail Code 65-42
NPDES Permits Section
100 North Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251